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SRM	Description	Unit Size
17f	Sucrose Optical Rotation	60 g
1010a	Microcopy Resolution Test Charts	set (5)
1922	Liquid Refractive Index - Mineral Oil	30 mL
1932	Fluorescein Solution	3 x 2 mL
2036	Near Infrared Wavelength/Wavenumber Reflection Standard	each
2241	Relative Intensity Correction Standard for Raman Spectroscopy: 785 nm Excitation	each
2242	Relative Intensity Correction Standard for Raman Spectroscopy: 532 nm Excitation	each
2244	Relative Intensity Correction Standard for Raman Spectroscopy: 1064 nm Excitation	each
2245	Relative Intensity Correction Standard for Raman Spectroscopy: 633 nm Excitation	each
2246	Relative Intensity Correction Standard for Raman Spectroscopy: 830 nm Excitation	each
2940	Relative Intensity Correction Standard for Fluorescence Spectroscopy: Orange Emission	each(12.5 x 12.5 x 45)mm
2941	Relative Intensity Correction Standard for Fluorescence Spectroscopy: Green Emission	each(12.5 x 12.5 x 45)mm
2942	Relative Intensity Correction Standard for Fluorescence Spectroscopy: Ultraviolet Emission	each(12.5 x 12.5 x 45)mm
2943	Relative Intensity Correction Standard for Fluorescence Spectroscopy: Blue Emission	each(12.5 x 12.5 x 45)mm
2944	Relative Intensity Correction Standard for Fluorescence Spectroscopy: Red Emission	each(12.5 x 12.5 x 45)mm

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204.2(1)- Fluorescence and Raman Spectroscopy

SRM	Description	Unit Size	Wavelength Range (nm)
1932	Fluorescein Solution	3 x 2 mL	488 to 491
2241	Relative Intensity Correction Standard for Raman Spectroscopy: 785 nm Excitation	each	785
2242	Relative Intensity Correction Standard for Raman Spectroscopy: 532 nm Excitation	each	532
2244	Relative Intensity Correction Standard for Raman Spectroscopy: 1064 nm Excitation	each	1064
2245	Relative Intensity Correction Standard for Raman Spectroscopy: 633 nm Excitation	each	632.8
2246	Relative Intensity Correction Standard for Raman Spectroscopy: 830 nm Excitation	each	830
2940	Relative Intensity Correction Standard for Fluorescence Spectroscopy: Orange Emission	each(12.5 x 12.5 x 45)mm	500 to 800
2941	Relative Intensity Correction Standard for Fluorescence Spectroscopy: Green Emission	each(12.5 x 12.5 x 45)mm	450 to 650
2942	Relative Intensity Correction Standard for Fluorescence Spectroscopy: Ultraviolet Emission	each(12.5 x 12.5 x 45)mm	320 to 430
2943	Relative Intensity Correction Standard for Fluorescence Spectroscopy: Blue Emission	each(12.5 x 12.5 x 45)mm	350 to 640
2944	Relative Intensity Correction Standard for Fluorescence Spectroscopy: Red Emission	each(12.5 x 12.5 x 45)mm	530 to 830

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204.2(3)- Infrared Reflectance (solid form)

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SRM	Description	Unit Size	Wavelength Range (nm)
2036	Near Infrared Wavelength/Wavenumber Reflection Standard	each	975 to 1946

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204.2(4)- Optical Rotation (powder form)

Optical Rotation (in mrad) 3/4 Aqueous Solution Wavelength (100 mm cell)

SRM	Description	Unit Size	546.2271 nm	589.4400 nm	632.9914 nm	882.60 nm
17f	Sucrose Optical Rotation	60 g	355.68	302.03	259.51	129.41

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204.2(5)- Optical Rotation

Optical Rotation (in mrad)Aqueous Solution Wavelength (200 mm cell)

SRM	Description	Unit Size	546.2271 nm	589.4400 nm	632.9914 nm	882.60 nm
17f	Sucrose Optical Rotation	60 g	<i>711.36</i>	<i>604.06</i>	<i>519.02</i>	<i>258.81</i>

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204.2(7)- Liquid Refractive Index - Mineral Oil

SRM	Description	Unit Size	<i>n</i> (at 20 °C)	dn/dT °C ⁻¹	Wavelength (nm)
1922	Liquid Refractive Index - Mineral Oil	30 mL	1.47685 ± 2x10 ⁻⁵	-3.74x10 ⁻⁴ ± 3x10 ⁻⁶	467.8
			1.47583 ± 3x10 ⁻⁵	-3.74x10 ⁻⁴ ± 3x10 ⁻⁶	480.0
			1.47373 ± 2x10 ⁻⁵	-3.74x10 ⁻⁴ ± 3x10 ⁻⁶	508.6
			1.47149 ± 2x10 ⁻⁵	-3.74x10 ⁻⁴ ± 3x10 ⁻⁶	546.1
			1.46945 ± 6x10 ⁻⁵	-3.74x10 ⁻⁴ ± 3x10 ⁻⁶	589.3
			1.46744 ± 2x10 ⁻⁵	-3.74x10 ⁻⁴ ± 3x10 ⁻⁶	643.8

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